

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
FOR PATENT APPLICATION

We, the below-named inventors, hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **METHOD FOR SCANNING, ANALYZING AND HANDLING VARIOUS KINDS OF DIGITAL INFORMATION CONTENT**, the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on October 1, 1998 as United States Patent Application No. 09/164,940.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code § 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

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We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional applications(s) listed below:

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(Application Number)

10/1/97

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We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code § 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 that became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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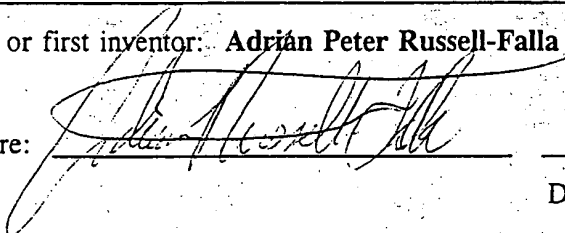
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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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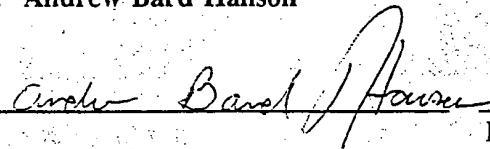
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For METHOD FOR SCANNING, ANALYZING AND HANDLING VARIOUS KINDS OF  
DIGITAL INFORMATION CONTENT

**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE OF  
ENTIRE INTEREST AND REVOCATION OF  
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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS,

SIR:

Microsoft Corporation, assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention of the above application, hereby revokes and cancels all existing powers of attorney in the above-entitled application and appoints the attorneys associated with

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of the law firm of SENNIGER, POWERS, LEAVITT & ROEDEL, One Metropolitan Square, 16th Floor, St. Louis, Missouri 63102 (telephone number 314/231-5400); and appoints Daniel D. Crouse, Reg. No. 32,022, David Bartley Eppenauer, Reg. No. 35,499, Martin L. Shively, Reg. No. 33,553, Ronald O. Zink, Reg. No. 35,744, Patricia E. Bornes, Reg. No. 37,038, Michael W. Bocianowski, Reg. No. 28,692, and Danielle J. Holmes, Reg. No. 39,720 of Microsoft Corporation; or their duly appointed associate attorneys in said application, with full power of substitution, revocation and addition, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

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The undersigned hereby revokes and cancels all existing permits to inspect the official file of the above-identified application.


Microsoft Corporation further certifies, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 3.73 (b), that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified application by virtue of a chain of title from the inventor(s) of such application to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned (whose title is provided below) is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee.

MICROSOFT CORPORATION

Dated: 10-29-2002

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